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Appl. No. : 10/811,200 Conformation No. 1789  
Applicant : Cody, et al.  
Filed : March 26, 2004  
TC/A.U. : 1624  
Examiner : Celia C. Chang  
Docket No. : 25562A  
Customer No. : 28880  
Title : "PIPERIDINE DERIVATIVE RENIN INHIBITORS"

**Petition to Correct Inventorship of Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(d) and 1.48(e)**

Dear Sir:

Petition is hereby made to correct inventorship of the above-entitled patent application by adding Xue-Min Cheng, 810 Bogey Court, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48103 Noe Erasga, 4820 Washtenaw, Ave, Apt B10, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48108 and Chitase Lee, 695 Skynob Ct., Ann Arbor, Michigan 48105 as inventors of the above-identified provisional application. Enclosed herewith in support of this petition are:

- (1) A statement from each person being added as an inventor that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his or her part;
- (2) An oath or declaration by the actual inventors;
- (3) Authorization to charge the processing fee set forth in § 1.17(i) to Deposit Account No. 23-0455;
- (4) The written consent of the assignee to the inventorship change; and
- (5) A copy of an assignment from Xue-Min Cheng, Noe Erasga and Chitase Lee to Warner-Lambert Company LLC.



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§ 1.48 - for correcting inventorship, except in provisional applications.  
§ 1.52(d) - for processing a nonprovisional application filed with a specification in a language other than English.  
§ 1.53(b)(3) - to convert a provisional application filed under § 1.53(c) into a nonprovisional application under § 1.53(b).  
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§ 1.103(b) - for requesting limited suspension of action, continued prosecution application (§ 1.53(d)).  
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§ 3.81 - for a patent to issue to assignee, assignment submitted after payment of the issue fee.

Signature

Andrew J. Leon

Typed or printed name

Date

46,869

Registration No., if applicable

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Respectfully submitted,

Date: May 11, 2005

By:

A handwritten signature in black ink that appears to read "Andrew J. Leon".

Andrew J. Leon  
Registration No. 46,869  
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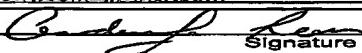
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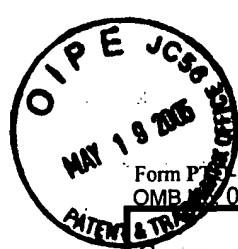
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<b>3. Nature of conveyance:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignment <input type="checkbox"/> Merger <input type="checkbox"/> Security Agreement <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Name <input type="checkbox"/> Government Interest Assignment <input type="checkbox"/> Executive Order 9424, Confirmatory License <input type="checkbox"/> Other		Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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Noe Erasga  
Chitase Lee

Execution Date(s) 4/28/05, 4/28/05, 5/3/05

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?  Yes  No

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**ASSIGNMENT**

As a below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My post office address is as stated below under my signature and I am named as an inventor of the inventions (herein INVENTIONS) as described in the patent application (herein APPLICATION) identified below. In view of valuable consideration, receipt thereof is hereby acknowledged, I do hereby assign and transfer unto WARNER-LAMBERT COMPANY LLC, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having a place of business at 201 Tabor Road, Morris Plains, New Jersey 07950, its successors and assigns, my entire interest in and the full exclusive right to the INVENTIONS, the APPLICATION and all related applications (including provisionals, divisions, reissues, continuations, continuations-in-part, and extensions thereof) and all counterparts in other countries and any and all Letters Patent (and certificates of invention or similar certificates) (herein PATENTS) which may be granted based upon the INVENTIONS or the APPLICATION or related applications or counterparts in other countries; said transfer and assignment being applicable throughout the world. I hereby authorize and request officials of patent offices in any and all countries of the world to issue any and all of the PATENTS, when granted, to WARNER-LAMBERT COMPANY LLC, its successors and assigns, as the assignee of my entire right, title and interest in and to the same. I agree that I will communicate to WARNER-LAMBERT COMPANY LLC, or its representatives, any facts known to me respecting the invention; testify in any legal proceedings; sign all lawful papers; execute all provisional, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, substitution, renewal and reissue applications; execute all necessary assignment papers to cause any and all of the PATENTS to be issued to WARNER-LAMBERT COMPANY LLC; make all rightful oaths; and generally do everything possible to aid WARNER-LAMBERT COMPANY LLC, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for the INVENTION in any and all countries throughout the world. The APPLICATION is identified herein.

Serial No. (if known) : 10/811,200  
Filing Date (if known) : March 26, 2004  
Execution Date(s) of Application : 11/28/05, 4/28/05, 5/3/05

Title: PIPERIDINE DERIVATIVE RENIN INHIBITORS

FULL NAME OF INVENTOR : XUE-MIN CHENG

Inventor's signature : Date: 4-28-05

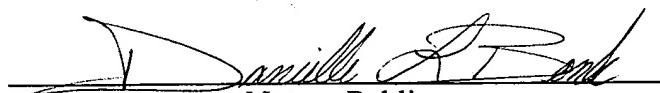
Residence : Ann Arbor, MI 48103

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Post Office Address : 810 Bogey Court.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48103-----  
STATE OF MichiganCOUNTY OF Washtenaw

On April 28, 2005, the above-named inventor personally appeared before me and executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his/her free acts and deeds in and for the purpose set forth in said instrument.

(SEAL)

  
Notary Public

DANIELLE L. BONK

My Commission Expires: Notary Public, Washtenaw County, MI  
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My Commission Expires 10/25/2006

FULL NAME OF INVENTOR : NOE ERASGA

Inventor's signature : Noe S. G. Date: 5-3-05

Residence : Ann Arbor, Michigan 48108

Citizenship : United States

Post Office Address : 4820 Washtenaw Ave. Apt B10  
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48108

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On May 3, 2005, the above-named inventor personally appeared before me and executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his/her free acts and deeds in and for the purpose set forth in said instrument.

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Danielle L. Bonk  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: DANIELLE L. BONK  
Notary Public, Washtenaw County, MI  
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My Commission Expires 10/25/2006

FULL NAME OF INVENTOR : CHITASE LEE

Inventor's signature

: Chitase Lee Date: 4-28-05

Residence

: Ann Arbor, MI 48105

Citizenship

: United States

Post Office Address

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Ann Arbor, MI 48105

STATE OF MichiganCOUNTY OF Washtenaw

On April 28, 2005, the above-named inventor personally appeared before me and executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be his/her free acts and deeds in and for the purpose set forth in said instrument.

(SEAL)

  
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My Commission Expires: DANIELLE L. BONK  
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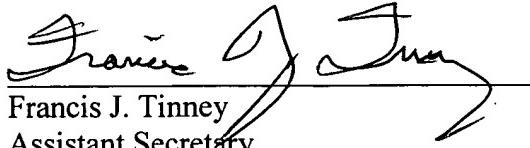
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**WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE ASSIGNEE TO INVENTORSHIP CHANGE**

Dear Sir:

Warner-Lambert Company, LLC, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having a place of business at 201 Tabor Road, Morris Plains, New Jersey 07950, states that it is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of an assignment from the inventors of the patent application identified above. The assignment from Wayne Livingston Cody, Jeremy John Edmunds, Daniel Dale Holsworth and Noel Arron Powell was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 014478, Frame 0738, and a copy of the assignment from inventors Xue-Min Cheng, Noe Erasga and Chitase Lee is attached. Warner-Lambert Company LLC hereby consents to the addition of Xue-Min Cheng, Noe Erasga and Chitase Lee as inventors of the patent application identified above. The undersigned, whose title is made of record below, is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Francis J. Tinney  
Assistant Secretary  
Warner-Lambert Company LLC



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**Statement of Noe Erasga**

Dear Sir:

I hereby state that the error in inventorship omitting Xue-Min Cheng, Noe Erasga and Chitase Lee as inventors of the above-referenced application occurred without deceptive intent on my part.

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Noe D. Er  
Noe Erasga



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Statement of Chitase Lee

Dear Sir:

I hereby state that the error in inventorship omitting Xue-Min Cheng, Noe Erasga and Chitase Lee as inventors of the above-referenced application occurred without deceptive intent on my part.

4-28-05  
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Chitase Lee  
Chitase Lee



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Statement of Xue-Min Cheng

Dear Sir:

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Xue-Min Cheng

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**Declaration and Power of Attorney For Patent Application****English Language Declaration**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

the specification of which

(check one)

is attached hereto.

was filed on March 26, 2004 As United States Application No. 10/811,200 or PCT International Application Number \_\_\_\_\_ and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119(a)-d) or Section 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or Section 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

**Prior Foreign Applications****Priority Not Claimed**

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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. Section 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

<b>60/461,962</b> (Application Serial No.)	<b>April 10, 2003</b> (Filing Date)
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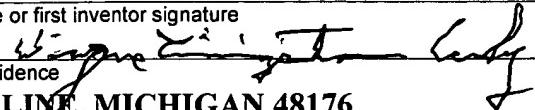
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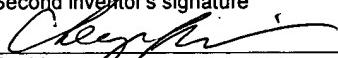
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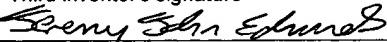
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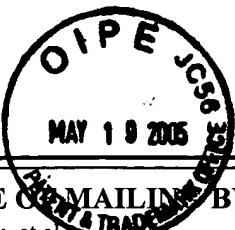
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